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WHITE PLAINS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE JOINS JR. NBA

White Plains, NY – October 30, 2015. The White Plains Recreation & Parks Department is proud to announce that the Department was recently accepted as a member league of the Jr. NBA. The Jr. NBA, presented by Under Armour, is the NBA's youth basketball participation program for boys and girls in the 3rd - 9th grades. Jr. NBA teaches the fundamentals and values of the game at the grassroots level to help grow and improve the youth basketball experience for all. "We are excited to work with the Jr. NBA to grow youth basketball and instill the values that make the game great," said Recreation & Parks Commissioner Wayne Bass. "Our program is tailored to accommodate children at all skill levels from beginner to advanced."

Registration is open to White Plains residents only and is open until Saturday, November 14th. You may register your child at the White Plains Recreation and Parks Department, located 85 Gedney Way, White Plains, NY 10605, or on-line for residents with webaccess passes. The Recreation & Parks Department office is open Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:15 p.m. and Saturday, 9:00 a.m. – Noon The registration fee is \$65.00.

The City of White Plains Youth Basketball League features uniforms, certified coaches, quality school-gym locations for practices and games, equal playing time for all participants, participation in a March Madness NCAA style Tournament, and awards to all participants. Teams will practice once a week and games are played weekly. Practices will begin after Thanksgiving and league play will begin on December 19.

For more information visit our website at www.cityofwhiteplains.com or call (914) 422-1336.